(d) If the present tempo of development in oilseeds is maintained we are likely to be close to self-sufficiency at the end of the Eighth Plan. In the case of pulses, it is likely to take longer.

Assistance to earthquake victims in Uttar Pradesh

2517. DR. SANJAYA SINH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Uttar Pradesh Relief Commission had sent a memorandum to Government demanding Rs. 152 crores Central Assistance for the earthquake victims in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the extent of Central Assistance provided to the Uttar Pradesh Government so far in response to that Memorandum?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A statement indicating the details of assistance sought is enclosed. (*See* below)

(c) A Central team will shortly visit affected areas in Uttar Pradesh to assess the extent of damage and quantum of Central Assistance required for relief and rehabilitation measures. Further action will be taken on receipt of the report of the team.

Statement

Additional Central assistance sought by Government of Uttar Pradesh for relief and rehabilitation measures in the earthquake affected area.

Sl.	Name of Department	Assistance Sought (Rs. in lakhs)
1.	Animal Husbandry	530.00
2.	Forest	1766.50
3.	Irrigation	233.00
4.	Urban DeWelopment	42.30
5.	Educat.on (Higher)	140.00
6.	Medical (a)—Health	74.92
	(b) —Education	56.75
7.	Panchayat Raj	335.75
8.	Power	180.00
9.	Rural Development	5633.93
10.	Food & Civil Supplies	34.50
11.	Agriculture	144.00
12.	Revenue Releif assistance to Affected people (C.R.F.)	6000.00
	TOTAL :	15171·65

or—152 crores.